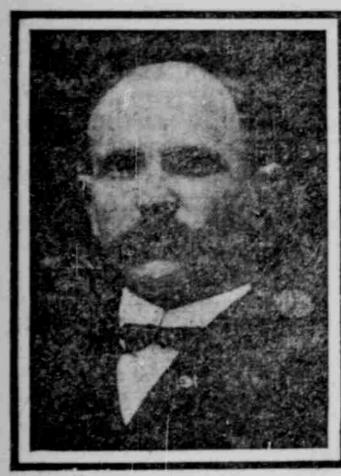
Results of the Republican District Conventions Held Throughout Indiana Yesterday



ELAM H. NEAL. Chairman of the Eleventh District. .

chairman could restore a semblance of Butler, of Huntington, was made temporary

with their 21/2 votes thus assured Mr. Neal Mr. Neal's name was presented by Sena-tor C. C. Lyons, of Grant, while Dr. C. H. Goode, of Huntington, placed Mr. Beck in nomination. During the roll call the strain grew terrific, as there was a rumor that one of the Grant county delegates might leave Neal and go to Beck, and in any event the race was so close that almost the slightest change meant defeat or victory for the candidates. The final vote stood:

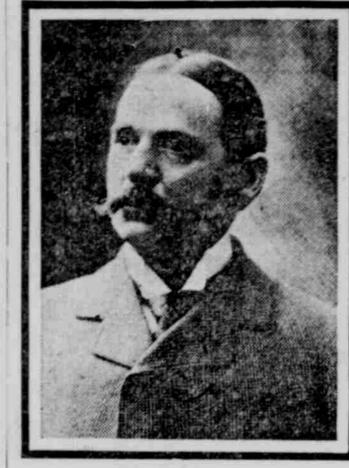
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SCENE OF ENTHUSIASM.

the result was no longer in doubt, then it was that the Neal and Steele forces, led chair could not announce the vote for several minutes. Then there was a renewed outburst, and still another when John Foust. of Huntington, moved that Neal's election be made unanimous. Altogether it was a scene of even wilder enthusiasm than the one at the famous Wabash convention. Mr. himself to do all in his power for the Republican party as a member of the state It was adopted unanimously. committee. It is in question whether the convention was really adjourned in a formal way, but the delegates soon left the courtroom and made arrangements to return to their homes.

The friends of Mr. Beck are naturally disappointed at the result of the contest. They labored early and late for his success, and he himself had put much time and energy into the fight. Under the circumstances it was hard to lose, but Mr. Beck is of the type best described as "game," and he took his defeat philosophically. Representative Frederick Landis, of Logansport, who has been here to lend his in-

congressional duties. as temporary chairman. In assuming his forces in such equal strength. duties Mr. Sayre made a brief speech. Thad



GEORGE A. CUNNINGHAM. Chairman of the First District.

order. The roll call proceeded and the secretary, and the first steps toward busitotals showed the Neal forces victorious ness were taken by calling the roll of Republican nomination and that he would by the somewhat complicated vote of 60 5-6 | countles and naming the following comto 59 2-3. On the next vote they seated mittees. Wiley, of Cass, by a vote of 60 1-3 to 59 2-3. Organ nell, Blackford county; O. L. Chamness, The figures were the same on the third Cass; Elsworth Harvey, Grant; W. S. Paul, Huntington: Dr. S. G. Ramsey, Miami; George C. Hipskind, Wabash. Credentials-John Sweet, Blackford; S. B. Boyer, Cass; John R. Hadley, Grant; John S. Glenn, Huntington; Jerry Hardwick, Miami; George Freeman, Wabash.

Resolutions-Amos Perry, Blackford; W. H. Porter, Cass; A. E. Steele, Grant; H. L. Bendell, Huntington; E. G. Vore, Miami; Rensselaer Man Chosen for Fifth SPEECHES WHILE WAITING. Following the appointment of the com-

mittees the convention took a recess until 1:30 o'clock, when it was expected the committees would be ready to report. All interest of course centered in the work of the credentials committee, which met at Coy, of Rensselaer, was for the fifth time cation meeting, a minature reproduction of committee was fairly besieged by an excit- on the Republican state committee The convention did little but listen to speeches, take recesses, adopt the reports by the large delegation from Grant county, of the committees on organization and reswent fairly wild with enthusiasm. The olutions and devise ways to fill time during the afternoon while waiting to hear of the contests. The speakers were Judge Plummer, of Wabash, Dr. C. H. Goode and Representative Landis.

The report of the committee named the following permanent officers: Chairman, Warren G. Sayre; secretary, Thad Butler; vice chairmen, John Winning Blackford; Q. A. Myers, Cass; I. W. Carter, Grant; George Stebbins, Huntington; John F. Law-Neal was called upon for a speech and rence, Miami; Thomas J. Peffler, Wabash. responded briefly but happily, expressing The report provided that there should be gratitude toward his friends and pledging no speeches in the presentation of candidates and made other minor regulations.

The resolutions, which were also unanimously adopted, indorsed the state and national administrations and the votes and acts of the Indiana Republican delegation in both branches of Congress. A little after 4 o'clock Chairman Sayre

announced that adjournment would be taken to the Circuit Court room, where the report of the credentials committee would be received within a few minutes. Anticipating that the fight would be on in a short time, the delegates hastened over to the courthouse. There, however, another vexatious, tiresome delay ensued, and it was almost 6:20 before the suspense was over fluence to Mr. Beck, will leave to-day or and the final struggle begun, which resulted to-morrow for Washington to resume his in the victory for Mr. Neal. The convention is conceded to have been the largest ever The convention was formally opened in held in the district, and it certainly has the nomination of Fairbanks for Vice Presithe opera house at 11 o'clock this fore- had few equals in point of the interest noon by Mr. Beck, who presented Mr. Sayre taken in the outcome and the arraying of C. S. WATTS.



SPEECHES

the district convention held yesterday aft-

ernoon in the courthouse. The election was

by acclamation and had been consummated within less than a minute after the nom-

ination was made by Charles Eliott. The district chairmanship also carries with it

membership in the State Republican com-

harmonious Republican convention in the

Seventh district than the convention of

yesterday. It resembled more a Repub-

lican love feast, where all were of one mind

and one accord, standing solidly for the candidate and the "grand old party." De-

spite the reports and rumors that Mr.

a brief and enthusiastic love feast. No

the cries of the convention brought to their

feet one after another the prominent Re-

publicans present, who were compelled to

dispense with glowing talks such as make

political conventions ring with applause.

Among those called upon were Charles A.

BROWN IS CHAIRMAN.

appointed in case of emergency, but their

auspices. We have a national administra-

committees, some of them chairmen of im-

portant committees, and those who are not

"Our own Congressman, Hon. Jesse Over-

On his election, Mr. Woods took the chair

and made a brief talk, thanking the con-

vention in re-electing him as their district

chairman and foretelling an overwhelming

victory for the Republicans in the coming

elections. Charles Bookwalter was the

first man called to the floor by the cries

of the convention. He spoke with his usual

eloquence and force, declaring that no Re-

publican is in doubt as to the issue of the

campaign or is anyone in doubt as to the

repeated. The convention adjourned before

faction and much friendly handshaking.

Republican candidate in the campaign.

chairmen are well up to the front and are

dress, saying in part:

recognized leaders.

power.

William T. Brown acted as chairman of

There has probably never been a more

RE-ELECTION OF E. P. THAYER IN THE SIXTH

ACCLAMATION IN TENTH Convention at Connersville Resolves Itself Into Ratification Meeting and Love Feast.

NONE OTHER NOMINATED

HAMMOND, Ind., Jan. 12.-Amid scenes CONNERSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 12.-A ratifionce in the Circuit Court room and the re-elected to represent the Tenth district the recent love feast in Indianapolis, was what the Sixth district Republican convention resolved itself into at the Odd Fellows' acclamation in a convention, wherein there | Hall in this city this morning. Colonel Edwin P. Thayer, of Greenfield, was re-elected district chairman by acclamation; the nomination of James E. Watson to succeed himself in the national House of Representatives was rendered sure beyond a doubt, and the names of Republican leaders, both State and national, were cheered to the

The name of Charles R. Unthank, of Richmond, who had made a canvass for the chairmanship, was not even presented to the convention, and that gentleman, who occupied a seat in the gallery of the hall, stated his position when he said, just before adjournment, "The work of the convention is perfectly satisfactory to me, and I am with all other good Republicans for success in this campaign."

The resolutions, reported by a committee the convention when he indorsed the name headed by Harry Starr, of Richmond, and of J. Frank Hanly for Governor, and the adopted by the convention, commended "the popularity of the Lafayette candidate was splendid administration of Theodore Roosevelt," pronounced "worthy of succeeding the great McKinley," congratulated Senator Marcus A. Hanna upon his "great services to the party and the Nation" as chairman of the national committee, and called for his re-election; praised the work of Senministrations, both national and State, were ators Fairbanks and Beveridge, and deroundly indorsed. The present attitude remanded the latter's re-election, and spoke garding Colombia and the Panama canal, in terms of high praise of the State adthe \$12 per month pension for ninety-day ministration and the work of State Chairman Goodrich. Representative James E. unqualifiedly complimented, with declara-Watson was halled as "a man able to tions for the renomination of Roosevelt and stand in comparison with the Nation's great," and his work and record were apdent and Hanly for Governor. Speeches proved in the most emphatic and unequivowere made by Dan E. Storms, Senators cal terms possible. The mere mention of Goodwine, Wood, Bell and Wolcott, Mayor Representative Watson's name was received with tremendous applause. Edgar O'Hara, of Franklin county, was permanent chairman of the convention and

George A. Elliott, of New Castle, secre-A telegram addressed to the chairman of the convention by Representative Watson, but received too late to be read, was as

Whatever the outcome of to-day's con- 3 o'clock amid many expressions of satistest, may harmony be the final result. After the preliminary struggles, we must face an enemy united; as I believe they will be and are determined. Let no factional strife divide us in our district, then the campaign will be enthusiastic, the victory complete. I congratulate you upon your bright prospects." LEROY SNYDER.

NEW MAN TO THE FORE IN THE THIRD DISTRICT

John C. Zulauff, of Jeffersonville, Succeeds George W. Self, of Corydon, as Chairman.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. NEW ALBANY, Ind., Jan. 12 .- John C. Zulauff, of Jeffersonville, was elected chairman of the Third district Republican committee in the district convention held in this city this afternoon. He was chosen by acclamation, and the meeting was one of the most harmonious ever held by the party in the Third district. Not the slightsemplance of discord was apparent a any stage of the proceedings, and the business of the convention was dispatched

George W. Self, of Corydon, who retires as district chairman, called the convention to order at 1 o'clock, and Prof. J. P. Funk, of this city, offered prayer. John A. Lingle, of Paoli, was elected permanent chairman, on motion of Harry McGrain, of Corydon. Mr. Self was placed in nomination, but dedined to serve, and the motion was withdrawn. Curtis Weathers, of the Marengo Observer, was elected permanent secretary. On calls for nomination for district chairman, Capt. Fred D. Conner, of this city, placed in nomination Mr. Zulauff. Each county was called and seconded the nomination, and Mr. Zulauff was elected by ac-

Mr. Zulauff was escorted to the stage and greeted with applause. He thanked the convention for the honor conferred, and promised to fill the position to the best of

lican in the district. A committee on resolutions, composed of Arthur Mayer, of Clark county; James Pro, Crawford; John W. Lewis, Dubois; George H. Hester, Floyd; William Taylor, Harrison; gred Kinbley, Orange; Marion Fite, Perry; Sanford Murphy, Scott, and Samuel P. Morris, of Washington county, prepared resolutions, which were unanimously adopted. They indorse the wise and patriotic administration of President Roosevelt; the brilliant statesmanship of United States Senators Fairbanks and Beveridge; the able representatives in the lower house of work of reducing the State debt. The resolutions also indorsed Senator Beveridge for The chairman appointed the committee on Court. They commended the retiring chairman, George W. Self, for his zeal and abilnomination of reporter of the Supreme istration.

> REORGANIZATION OF COUNTY COMMITTEES

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 12.-The Republicans of Monroe county completed their organization to-day by the election of Joseph Campbell for chairman of the central committee; William F. Browning, vice C. Dodd, treasurer.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 12 .- The new Allen county Republican committee met this morning and organized as follows: Chairman, Lew P. Sharp; vice chairman, A. W. Walter; secretary, William Ballou; treasurer, E. W. Cook. There was a large at-

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Jan. 12 .- John M. Johnston was re-elected chairman of the Republican county central committee. It was under his management that Cass county went into the famous Wabash convention solid for Frederick Landis. FOWLER, Ind., Jan. 12.-The Republican county central committee has reorganized by re-electing Charles G. Mauzy chairman; W. S. Rowe, treasurer; Robert L. Cox, sec-

WOODS RE-ELECTED AT A SMALL LOVE-FEAST Present Seventh District Chairman Is Nominated by Acclamation Amid a Round of Applause. MADE Without the least semblance of friction and before the convention had been in session more than five minutes Floyd A. Woods was elected chairman of the Seventh congressional district Republicans at

WILLIAM E. SPRINGER. Chairman of the Fourth District.

THE FOURTH SELECTS WILLIAM E. SPRINGER

Wood would have a rival for the chairmanship and that the Ninth ward would not Columbus Man Succeeds O. H. Starke County Man Defeats Rome support him, not a note of discord or op-Montgomery, of Seymour, as position was heard throughout the short the District Leader. Mr. Woods's election was the prelude of

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. SEYMOUR, Ind., Jan. 12.-The greatest convention the Fourth district Republicans ever held was that here to-day. The attendance was the largest and enthusiasm was unbounded. Harmony and goodfellow- Moorman, editor of the Starke County Re-Bookwalter, William E. English and Frank ship marked every act of the convention. publican, district chairman, to succeed O. H. Montgomery, the retiring district chairman, called the convention to order the convention, and R. T. Dyers as secreand sounded the keynote of Republicanism tary. A number of committees had been in a forcible speech Anderson Percefield, of Nashville, was services were not needed. In opening the convention, Mr. Brown made a short ad-Bartholomew county, was elected district

chairman by acclamation. "We meet under the most favorable The convention adopted resolutions indorsing President Roosevelt's administration and favoring his nomination to suction that meets the most hearty approval ceed himself. The State administration and of every Republican in the country. And Indiana's delegation in Congress were comunder the leadership of President Roosevelt | mended; Senator Beveridge was indorsed we confidently expect to continue it in for re-election, and Oscar H. Montgomery, of Seymour, was indorsed for supreme "Our own State affairs were never as well | judge. The resolutions were adopted withand economically administered; each de- out a dissenting vote. The party is in fine shape throughout the partment has vied with the other for good

and economical administration. This has district. indeed been a debt-paying administration, J. M. Bauer, of Lawrenceburg, announced More of the public debt has been wiped out that he would be a candidate for delegate under Governor Durbin than any other. to the national convention. Take our delegation in Congress, when did it ever stand so high? All are on important

NEW COMMITTEE TO

street, has been a conspicuous figure in Chairman Goodrich Will Be Unanimously Re-Elected-Sims for the Secretary.

MEET TO-MORROW

The new Republican state committee will meet at the headquarters in the Stevenson building to-morrow afternoon to reorganize. No opposition will be brought forward to Chairman Goodrich. It is the general un-William E. English spoke for several derstanding that at the recommendation of minutes on the solidity of the party this | Chairman Goodrich Fred Sims, committeepresidential year and declared fearlessly man from that the story of 1900 and of 1896 will be secretary. man from the Ninth district, will be chosen The election of Sims will differ from the

custom of electing a secretary from outside the committee.



· JULIAN D. HOGATE. Chairman of the Fifth District.

JULIAN D. HOGATE IS IN TWELFTH DISTRICT

his ability in the interest of every Repub- Polls Two to One Against Jack- No Opposition to Danville Man, man, and Friends of Latter Make It Unanimous. Tentative Candidate.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 12.-The Republican district convention held here to- publican convention of the Fifth district.

On the call for nominations Elmer Leonthe Superior Bench. This was seconded by William Geake, who lately retired as a candidate. De Kalb county presented Norman T. Jackman, through Judge James H. Rose, of the Circuit Court, seconded by John W. Baker, of Columbia City, who had made a brisk newspaper fight on Leonard. Allen county voted its thirty-five votes solidly for Leonard. Lagrange, which even, giving five to each candidate. De Kalb cast thirteen votes for Jackman and one for Leonard, one delegate getting away from the Jackman leaders through some fancied slight. Noble county, led by Senator Conlogue, cast its sixteen votes solid for Leonard. "That's enough," some Leonard man shouted, and the convention was

Whitley gave five to Leonard and eight | H. Catlin, of Terre Haute, by a vote of four to Jackman. Leonard's election was made to three. County Chairman Cavins, of Vigo unanimous on motion of Jackman's friends. The convention listened to a brief speech of thanks from Leonard and adjourned State administrations, the two senators and with three cheers for Roosevelt, led by Chairman Babcock.



JOHN L. MOORMAN. Chairman of the Thirteenth District.

WALTER BROWN GIVES WAY TO J. L. MOORMAN

C. Stephenson, of Rochester, in Thirteenth District.

sooner had the election been sealed than NO VOICE OF DISSENT MAJORITY IS BUT ONE

Staff Correspondence of the Journal. SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 12 .- The Republicans of the Thirteenth district met in the Auditorium annex in this city at 2 o'clock this afternoon and elected John L. Walter Brown, of Elkhart. Mr. Moorman was victorious on the second ballot, defeating Rome Stephenson, of Rochester, by

After the district chairmanship had been decided the convention quickly adjourned without electing delegates to the national convention or nominating a presidetial elector. This was a surprise to many, since the call of former Chairman Brown and the rules and order of business of the convention provided for such election.

The Thirteenth district Republicans took keen interest in the drama of politics enacted here to-day and throughout the day the Oliver House, headquarters for the candidates and their friends, was crowded with fine-looking, well-groomed men. In the hours before the convention assembled there was "something doing" with each county delegation and this was later shown when practically all the supporters of Frank W. Boss, of Marshall county, railed to the standard of John Moorman. The candidacy of Rome Stephenson was in the hands of Attorney General Charles W. Miller, and in some quarters it was whispered that the election of Stephenson would be considered in the light of an indirect slap at Representative Brick. Be that as it may, the convention, before any vote for district chairman was taken, had placed itself on record unanimously as in-dorsing Mr. Brick, as well as the United States senators, the State officers and Pres-

ident Roosevelt. Leaders of the party, now that the convention is over, say there are no sores that cannot be readily healed, and that harmony will prevail in the Thirteenth dis-

The convention was called to order by Walter Brown, of Elkhart. Former Representative Lemuel W. Royse was elected permanent chairman, and George D. Williams, of Mishawaka, secretary. Republican editors of the district acted as assistant secretaries. A gavel for the chairman was presented by Charles Arthur Carlisle on behalf of St. Joseph county. Chairman Royse spoke briefly, and his allusions to Roosevelt brought forth storms of cheers. The resolutions adopted by the convention were prepared by Judge John H. Baker, of Goshen, a member of the Elkhart county delegation. In brief, they indorsed the principles of the last national convention; commended Roosevelt's administration; approved the Cuban treaty, and declared for the isthmian canal. They said it was the plain duty of the party to re-elect Senator Beveridge to succeed himself, and also gave

hearty indorsement to Senator Fairbanks, Representative Brick, Governor Durbin, Attorney General Miller and other State of-The credentials committee reported one contest, in Lincoln township of St. Joseph county. Two conventions had been held, each one selecting a delegate. The majority report, favoring the "regular" delegate, was adopted after a long wrangie. If the other man had been seated and had voted aginst the rest of the delegtion it might have changed the result of the convention, since Moorman was elected by only one vote.

Three counties presented candidates for district chairman, as follows: Fulton, tome C. Stephenson; Marshall, Frank W. Boss: Starke, John L. Moorman. The first ballot resulted: Elkhart county, Stephenson, 26; Fulton, Stephenson, 11; Kosciusko, Stephenson, 18%; Boss, 1/2; Marshall, Stephenson, 4; Moorman, 9; Pulaski, Stephenson, 1; Moorman, 7; Starke, Moorman, 6; St. Joseph, Moorman, 39. Total, Stephenson, 60%; Boss, %, Moorman, 61. Moorman not having a majority of one vote there was no election.

The second ballot was the same except that John Roberts, of Syracuse, Kosciusko county, who had cast one-half vote for Boss, shifted his support to Moorman, thereby assuring his election. When Roberts was elected a delegate it was decided that the vote should be divided between himself and his alternate, and having but half a vote Reberts valiently cast both times in opposition to the rest of the del-egation. In reality, Roberts, with but onehalf a vote out of a total of 121, saved the day for the forces that were opposed to Stephenson. While the first ballot was being taken Boss's friends tried to withdraw his name,

but under the rules it could not be done. When John L. Moorman's election was announced he was called to the platform and spoke stirringly, pledging his energies to the re-election of Beveridge and the renomination and re-election of Brick. There was a general hand-shaking after adjourn-

DECISION REVERSED.

Judge Delays Action in Matter of

Removing Bryan as Executor. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 12 .- After a hearing of an application for the removal of William J. Bryan as executor of the will of Philo S. Bennett, held in the Probate Court to-day, decision was reserved, the court directing counsel on both sides to reduce their arguments to writing.

Mr. Bryan was not present, having left here for Washington last night after the banquet given in his honor by New Haven Counsel for Mr. Bryan denied that the latter's position was antagonistic to the interests of the estate, or that he was attempting to charge against the estate the expenses of prosecuting the appeal.

ENGLISH HOTEL: IS

NOW HEADQUARTERS

The English Hotel will be the headquarters for the Republican State organization for the next year. The State convention hotel. The following letter was sent to the hotel company yesterday:

"The English Hotel Company, Indianapolis, "Gentlemen-It has been decided by the committee that the English Hotel shall be with three cheers for Roosevelt, led by Chairman Babcock.

Chairman Babcock.

Intense satisfaction exists over the grace
Representatives in Congress, with special in the future headquarters for the Republican State organization and that the coming State convention headquarters will be



GEORGE LILLY. Chairman of the Eighth District.

LOVE-FEAST FOLLOWS CONVENTION IN EIGHTH

Chairman by Acclamation to Succeed Himself.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MUNCIE, Ind., Jan. 12.-Republicans of the Eighth congressional district held a Ninth district Republican convention was rousing convention here this afternoon and renamed George Lilly, of Anderson, district Fred Sims, of Frankfort, district chair- a district chairman. chairman and member of the State committee by acciamation. No name was offered the several counties in the district. The in opposition to that of Mr. Lilly. The 134

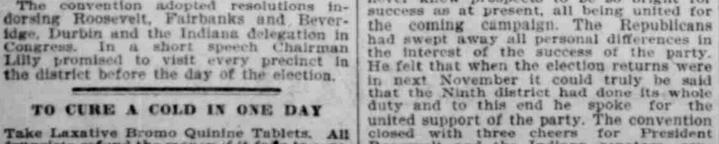
fraction of a vote.

order at 2 o'clock. Petty's polo Auditorium | man and on assuming the duties made a | cph Henley, of Bloomington, was unaniwas well filed. The invocation was deliv- timely speech on the achievements of the mously chosen permanent chairman. Mr. ered by the Rev. H. N. Wilson, paster of party and its future prospects. He eulo- Henley made an eloquent address, which the First Presbyterian Church, of this city. gized President Roosevelt, Senators Bev- was frequently applauded. Reports of committees followed. J. G. eridge and Fairbanks, Congressman Landis Chipman, of Anderson, was made perma- and the present State officers. E. T. Staley, nent chairman and L. A. Guthrie, secretary of Tipton, was selected as secretary. of the Delaware county central committee, was made secretary by acclamation. The call of counties for nomination for district was chairman, was read by Andrew Sow- gratulate the country on its prosperity and Court. chairman brought forth but the one name, that of George Lilly, of Anderson, which

was presented by John T. Ellis, of Anderson, who was elected by acclamation. The convention was then turned into a love The first address was made by Congress-

man Cromer, who complimented the delegates upon having plucked the "Lily of the Valley" as a leaser. M. M. Dunlap, of Anand Frank Snyder, of Portland, all candidates for the congressional nomination, made speeches. All the speakers caused applause by naming Roosevelt for a second term and Senator Hanna for chairman of the national committee.

The convention adopted resolutions indorsing Roosevelt, Fairbanks and Beveridge, Durbin and the Indiana delegation in Congress. In a short speech Chairman





Chairman of the Ninth District.

FRED SIMS IS ELECTED IN THE NINTH DISTRICT

Elected Leader Congratulates the Party on Its Prospects.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 12.-The held in Music Hall this morning and elected man. There were 132 delegates from convention was called to order by Chairvotes of the convention were represented man Fred Sims and the call read by E. T. by 291 delegates, each delegate having a Staley, of Tipton, stating the purposes of the meeting. Judge Perry Lewis, of Cov-

The report of the committee on resolutions, of which J. A. Kautz, of Kokomo, ders. It gave unqualified indorsement of the people on their wise choice of adminis-President Roosevelt and "stood pat" for trators; congratulates Cuba on its progress his renomination; indorsed the official acts as a nation and indorse administrative afof Senators Beveridge and Fairbanks, eulogized the actions of the Indiana congressmen, especially Representative Charles B. feast of the old-fashioned Republican Landis; indorsed the management of our lican representatives in Congress, the ad-State affairs and the steady reduction of the State debt; recognized the ability of District Chairman Billheimer. Strong State Chalrman Goodrich and Committee-

Then followed the nomination for chairman of the district. Avery Truitt, of Noblesville, said that in nominations Fred | civic federation is warmly indorsed, and derson, Theodore Shockney, of Union City, Sims, of Frankfort, be voiced the sentiment of a majority of the 5,000 voters of Hamilton county. There being no other names presented the election of Fred Sims was made by acclamation. Mr. Sims was escorted to the stage and spoke briefly. He congratulated the party for the harmony prevailing over the district and said he never knew prospects to be so bright for success as at present, all being united for the coming campaign. The Republicans of Mr. Billheimer was unanimous, and he had swept away all personal differences in came forward with a speech of acceptance the interest of the success of the party. I that was eloquent and full of enthusiasm. in next November it could truly be said that the Ninth district had done its whole duty and to this end he spoke for the united support of the party. The convention



CUNNINGHAM IS NAMED

TO SUCCEED HIMSELF

First District Will Enter the Cam-

paign Under the Leadership

of a Tried Chief.

MANY SHORT SPEECHES

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 12.-The Re-

publicans of the first congressional district

met in delegate convention here this after-

oon and elected George A. Cunningham, of

Evansville, district chairman for the third

onsecutive time. There was no opposition.

hairman of the convention. In a short

ion over the result of the last campaign in the district and predicted another bril-liant success. He said the party would go

into the next campaign on the record it had made. He urged organization all over the

district, saying it was essential to success.

Mr. Cunningham said he believed Congress-

man Hemenway would again receive the

Successive Time to Lead the

Republican Forces.

of unequaled enthusiasm, Thomas J. Mc-

Hohman's Opera House, in this city, this

afternoon. He was named by tumultuous

was not a single discord note. It was the

second time Mr. McCoy has been elected in

this city, but the convention this afternoon

was much larger attended than its prede-

cessor. It seemed as if all the Republican

politicians of prominence in the district

were present. Charles Mills, also of Rens-

W. C. Belman, cashier of the First Na-

tional Bank, of this city, was made chair-

man, and Editor Charles Martin, of West-

ville, secretary. Mayor A. F. Knotts, of this city, placed Mr. McCoy in nomi-

nation and the Rensselaer man was elected

by a standing vote of acclamation. In ac-

cepting the honor the first words of his

mouth were an unreserved declaration for

Roosevelt for President, and Senator Fair-

banks for Vice President. He set fire to

The committee on resolutions was made

up as follows: V. S. Reiter, of Lake; W.

N. Banks, of Laporte, and W. C. Mitchell,

of Tippecanoe. The resolutions aroused

tremendous applause. Republican ad-

veterans, the Roosevelt trust policy were

Knotts, J. W. Dyer and many others.

once more be returned to Congress.

M'COY IS ELECTED BY

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selaer, was elected secretary.

enthusiastically voiced.

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George Lilly, of Anderson, Elected Harmony Reigns and the Re- Enthusiastic Convention Indorses Candidacy of John C. Chaney

> The attendance was large and many oldparty "war horses" mingled with the crowd assembled at the Grand Hotel before the

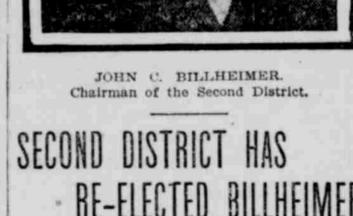
The convention met at 11 o'clock at the City Hall. It was called to order by Dis-Chairman Lilly called the convention to ington, was selected as permanent chair- trict Chairman John C. Billheimer, and Jos-

Oscar E. Bland, of Linton, was chosen

resolutions, which reported through John C. Chaney, of Sullivan. The resolutions confairs in the insular possessions; indorse the course of the Indiana senators and Repubministration of State affairs and the work of declaration is made in favor of an isthmian canal, and the course of the administration in recognizing the republic of Panama is commended. Senator Hanna's work in the President Roosevelt's support of the Civil Service laws is commended. A special resolution was adopted indorsing the candidacy of John C. Chaney for the Republican nomi-

chairman, John C. Billheimer. Mr. Emisun's speech was eloquent and added to the enthusiasm of the occasion. The election Whenever the names of Theodore Roosevelt, Senator Fairbanks, Senator Beveridge. John C. Chaney and other distinguished Republicans were mentioned, they were greeted with applause. Speeches were made

nomination for re-election the incumbent



- RE-ELECTED BILLHEIMER

for Congress.

MANY ADDRESSES MADE OUTLINE OF RESOLUTIONS LEADERS ARE CHEERED

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. VINCENNES, Ind., Jan. 12 .- The Republicans of the Second Congressional district met here to-day for the purpose of electing

nation to Congress. John W. Emisun, of Vincennes, placed in

ELMER LEONARD. Chairman of the Twelfth District. LEONARD IS ELECTED

UNITED FOR A VICTORY SPEECH BY MR. BARCUS

Congress, and the business-like administra- day resulted in the election of Elmer

RE-ELECTED IN FIFTH

Though Vigo Delegates Had a

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tion of Governor Durbin, especially in the | Leonard to succeed himself. The conven- | cluded its business within three-quarters of tion organized by electing J. N. Babcock, an hour. Julian D. Hogate, editor of the re-election, and Alexander Dowling, of this of Lagrange county, chairman, and Sen- Danville Republican, was re-elected chaircity, for re-election as judge of the Supreme ator Joseph S. Conlogue, of Noble county, man by acclamation. Some of the Vigo secretary. The chairman's speech was a county delegates had desired to oppose him ity, and indorsed his candidacy for the ringing indorsement of the national admin- with Nick Filbeck of this city, but after most of the delegates from other counties had arrived last night it was seen that an overwhelming majority of the 120 delegates ard was nominated by Judge Heaton, of were for the re-election of Mr. Hogate, and the Vigo county men decided not to place anyone in nomination. In his short speech thanking the convention for the nomination, Mr. Hogate told the delegates to report to their constituents that all was harmony at the convention and urged that as the Republican majority in the district has steadlly increased to 2,300 in 1902, every effort be made to increase it to 3,000 this year. Congressman Holliday spoke a few minutes. He said that he could not say what the issues would be this year. Something chairman; Harry A. Axtell, secretary; H. is again backing Gilhams for Congress, split | might happen before the campaign begun that would furnish an entire new set. Following Mr. Holliday, Senator J. S. Barcus spoke, and after praising the other Republican leaders, he mentioned Senator Hanna's name, and there was prolonged applause. Mr. Barcus alluded to the fact that the Jackson day banquet here showed anything but harmony among Democrats. E. F. Branch, of Martinsville, was selected In the further balloting Steuben gave six last night as chairman of the convention to Leonard and eight to Jackman and by the committee on organization, over R.

county, was elected secretary. The resolutions indorsed the National and Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All closed with three cheers for President by many others present, and the convention adjourned with three cheers for President by many others present, and the convention adjourned with three cheers for the party and retary. Frank Carter was elected vice ful way in which the Jackman forces action exists over the grace-later was elected vice ful way in which the Jackman forces action exists over the grace-later was elected vice ful way in which the Jackman forces action exists over the grace-later was elected vice ful way in which the Jackman forces action exists over the grace-later was elected vice ful way in which the Jackman forces action exists over the grace-later was elected vice ful way in which the Jackman forces action exists over the grace-later was elected vice ful way in which the Jackman forces action exists over the grace-later was elected vice ful way in which the Jackman forces action exists over the grace-later was elected vice fully.

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